

**AMENDMENTS**

In the Claims:

Claims 1-20 are pending.

Please cancel claims 18-20.

Please make the following indicated amendments in Claim 1 and in Claim 4 and in Claim 9.

1. (once amended)An apparatus for self-contained treatment of an aqueous system comprising:

a housing enclosing a controller, a feed pump and a treatment agent contained within one or more containers;

a sensor electrically communicating with the controller for measuring a parameter of water within the aqueous system;

a bleed pump electrically communicating with the controller such that the controller controllably activates the bleed pump when the parameter is at or exceeds a predetermined level wherein the bleed pump removes water from the aqueous system upon activation; and

the feed pump electrically communicating with the controller such that the controller controllably activates the feed pump during activation of the bleed pump wherein the feed pump acts to deliver the treatment agent to the water in an aqueous ~~cooling~~ system.

4(once amended). The apparatus of claim 1 wherein the apparatus further comprises a 12 volt power source, supplied by any deep cycle rechargeable 12 volt battery, -wherein said power source provides for supplying power to the apparatus.